

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Charles W. Norman

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SYSTEM

Mailstop: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Introductory Comments

In response to the Office action dated October 6, 2006 (hereinafter "the Office action"), please enter the enclosed amendments and consider the following remarks.